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Koji MISHIMA et al.

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Sir:

An Information Disclosure Statement was submitted September 12, 2003 including a number of references cited on a form PTO-1449. The Examiner returned the form PTO-1449 along with an Office Action on December 15, 2004. However, the Examiner only initialed some of the references, and did not initial reference "AJ".

Accordingly, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to initial reference "AJ" listed on the September 12, 2003 Form PTO-1449 to indicate that reference "AJ" has been considered and has been formally made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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